

1869

Suez Canal opened.

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Ferdinand de Lesseps completes
SUEZ Canal construction.

1869-1870

Council of Vatican

(Adjourned 1970; formally
closed by Pope John 23rd
1962)

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American Museum of
Natural History was founded
U.S. Grant laid cornerstone on
June 2, 1874

From 8th Ave (Central Park West) to
9th Ave (Columbus Ave) and from
81st to 77th Streets

May 10, 1869

Transcontinental railroad is completed
and golden spike driven at
PROMONTORY, UTAH